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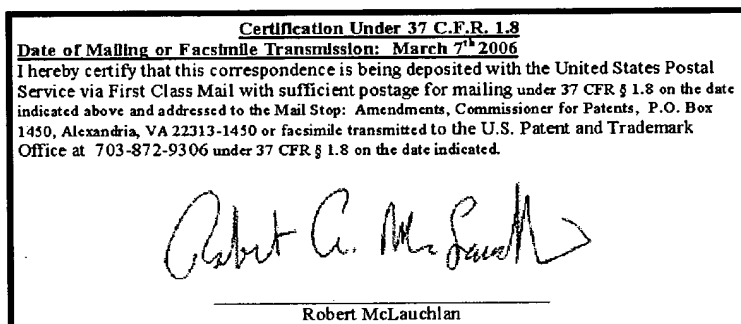
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In re Application of: Stephen J. Dunston
Serial No.: 09/747,903
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Examiner: Andrew J. Rudy
Art Unit: 3627
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROVIDING DIRECT CHANNEL
DISTRIBUTION OVER A GLOBAL COMPUTER NETWORK

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed November 7th 2005, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner reconsider the rejections of the Claims in view of the following amendments to the Claims and comments as set forth below. Please amend the Application as follows: